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For : ELECTRODEPOSITED COPPER FOIL WITH CARRIER FOIL ON WHICH
A RESIN LAYER FOR FORMING INSULATING LAYER IS FORMED, COPPER-CLAD
LAMINATE, PRINTED WIRING BOARD, METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING
MULTILAYER COPPER-CLAD LAMINATE, AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING
PRINTED WIRING BOARD

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on September 18, 2006, and in
accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, Applicants
hereby bring to the attention of the Examiner the following documents:

- (1) JP 2000-43188 A, February 15, 2000; together with family member US 6,652,962
- (2) WO 02/24444 A, March 28, 2002; together with family member US 7,175,920;
- (3) JP 08-503174 A, April 9, 1996; together with family member US 5,617,629;
- (4) JP 2003-292733 A, October 15, 2003; together with family member US 6,905,757;
- (5) JP 2002-33581 A, January 31, 2002; together with family member US 6,551,433;
- (6) JP 9-18140 A, January 17, 1997; together with an English language Abstract thereof;

- (7) WO 2004/005588, January 15, 2004; together with family member US 2004/0241487; and
- (8) WO 03/096776, November 20, 2004; together with family member US 6,984,456.

Applicants note that documents (1) to (6) have been cited in the International Search Report and have been also listed in the previously filed Information Disclosure Statement. The Examiner, however, did not acknowledge these references, arguing that copies had not been provided (see Office Action mailed on August 4, 2009).

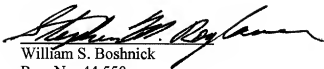
Accordingly, Applicants submit with this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement copies of all the above-listed documents (with the exception of the U.S. Patents Application Publication and the U.S. Patent) together with copy of the PTO-1449 Form listing these documents. The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider these documents and to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form, and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicants with the next official communication in the present application. A copy of the English translation of the International Search Report is also enclosed.

Further to 37 C.F.R. §1.98 (a)(2)(ii), copies of the U.S. Patent Application Publication and the U.S. Patents are not enclosed herewith. However, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed after a non-final Office Action on the merits. The fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p) is being paid concurrently herewith. The Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-0089 any other fees which may be deemed necessary for ensuring consideration of the submitted materials.

Should the Examiner have any question, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,
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